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SUBJECT: SWITZERLAND AND WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE

REF: STATE 10697

1. SWISS WERE PLEASED WITH FIRST SESSION PREPARATORY COMMITTEE AND ARE HOPEFUL THAT WFC CAN LEAD TO CONCRETE RESULTS. SWISS DIVISION OF COMMERCE OFFICIAL NOTED TO EMBOFF THAT SWITZERLAND BELIEVES THAT IN FOOD AND AGRICULTURAL AREAS MUTUAL DEPENDENCE IS FACT OF LIFE AND INTERNATIONAL ASPECTS CANNOT BE SEPARATED FROM PURELY DOMESTIC PRODUCTION AND PRICE QUESTIONS. THUS, SWISS SEEM TO BE CLOSE TO US ATTITUDE RE TRADE IN FOOD ISSUE, I.E., WFC CANNOT IGNORE TRADE ASPECTS BUT THAT MTN AND UNCTAD ARE APPROPRIATE NEGOTIATING FORA.

2. AS INDICATION OF CONTINUING SWISS HOPE THAT POLITICAL AND EMOTIONAL ISSUES CAN BE SIDESTEPED AT WFC, GOS WILL BE REPRESENTED AT JUNE PREPCOM II BY HANS POPP,
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